

LAST EDITION

EIGHT RACES

CARLISLE SETTLES IT

New York Collector Not to Au-

Instance Cited of a Fraud Extended

The Secretary Declares for Firm

WASHINGTON, July 31.—Secretary Carlisle has taken a hand in the Chinese situation in New York, which has been the occasion of so much friction recently between Treasury agents

"I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 26th inst. in reply to instructions of the 12th inst. in which you were directed to discontinue the practice of operating in the name of the Customs House of the Chinese Consulate at New York City. I am glad to hear that you have decided to leave the country, and intending to return thereto.

"Your letter is an argument in support of the proposition that the Department should reconsider its instructions of the 12th inst. and permit

"Your assumption that the responsibility for the execution of the laws relating to the exclusion of Chinese rests

alone upon the Collector is unwarranted. Upon that officer is devolved the duty of ascertaining the truth of the testimony presented by Chinese persons claiming the right to enter the duty free zone, and of submitting to it his duty, as it is the usual practice of Collectors of Customs, to submit to the President of the Free Zone for his decision, with whom lies the ultimate responsibility for the enforcement of the laws, and whose laws are the instructions in the matter. Collectors obeyed by Collectors without question. The Department cannot condone your lawless and unauthorized practices, discontinued by Rivas on the 18th inst. of authenticating the entries of Chinese goods, and by the Collector by his signature and seal of the Collector, should be resumed. The condition is before you. Do you wish one case where a Chinese person is

presented himself to be a member of a firm of Chinese merchants in New York, and was so certified by the Chinese Consul at New York, which certificate was duly authenticated by the seal of the Custom House and the signature of one of the Assistant, when in order of the Board.

"This man applied for admission as one of the frontier custom-houses upon the certificate mentioned, which, according to your theory, would be conclusive evidence of his right to enter, in the name of the person named in the certificate."

as much as the photograph was the of the person who presented himself but it was not that of the person named in the certificate, who was a real personage, formerly residing in New York and who was still in China.

"That many cases of this kind have occurred is beyond question, and the Department sees no good reason for the continuance of a practice by your office which in instances like that mentioned only serves as an aid to those engaged

"It is an ascertained fact that man-
hundreds of Chinese laborers have come
into the country within the past year
under the guise of merchants, students,
actors or other persons for the exempt
class."

It is my duty, as it is my purpose, to employ all the means under my control to enforce the law in good faith, and that end I shall expect the cordial cooperation of all officers of the customs."

"Respectfully yours,
J. G. CARLISLE, Secretary."

FAMILY FEUD ENDS IN MURDER
Jealous Wife Starts a Row and Her

Brother Is Killed.
WACO, Tex., July 31.—Perry Saunders and his wife, Nancy, who reside near Waco, fought because Perry took a girl driving, and John Erath, Nancy's brother, interfered, and so together they gave Perry a beating.

Last night they all met in Zion Hill church yard and the men began shooting. Nancy was accidentally wounded. Perry Saunderson was shot through both jaws and his leg, and Krath was fatally hurt. All of them were colored.

CHILDREN BURNED TO DEATH.
Attempt to Light Fire with Kerosene
May Cost Four Lives.

ST. PAUL, Minn., July 31.—The house of J. H. Langrain, a farmer, near Olga, N. D. was burned yesterday through lighting a fire with kerosene.

Two of his children were burned to death and Langrain and his wife were seriously injured.

MURRAY DIED LAST NIGHT.

Martin Murray, the driver who was knocked down and run over Saturday night by car 46 of the Boulevard line

Through some mistake Murray was reported dead Sunday morning and Driver O'Brien was taken before Coroner Mc Kenna.

DEATH IN A CLOUD-BURST.
Town of Blackhawk, Co.'s. Damaged
and One Life Lost.

DENVER, July 31.—A cloudburst at Blackhawk, Col., yesterday afternoon swept through the streets of the place, doing considerable damage and carry-

The railroad track in the canon was covered with sand and traffic was stopped until to-day.